Selectmen's Minutes

August 19, 2013

Selectmen: Richard Carver, Linda Post, Nancy Colson

Assessor: Tom Edwards

Present: Dave Matthews, Joella Marriner, Louise Flint, William Flint, George Graner, Mauren Bonzey, Bradley Bonzey, Jaclyn Bass, Michael Voncannon, Katie Syrett, Karl Erickson, Gail & Ken Wolf, Pat Snow, Nancy Eugley, Ronald Wilbur, Barbara Wilbur, Diane Harrison, Bonnie Post, Richard Hurlbert, Sylvia Alden, Bev Cleathero, Kathy Macpherson

5:00 PM Assessors meeting came to order. Tom Edwards has met with lots of tax payers already. He asked the selectmen if he could have till Sept 6, 2013 to commit taxes. He has a lot of data that he has to go over after meeting with property owners that wanted appointments with him. 21 people showed up to the assessors meeting. They wanted a detailed explanation as to why their assessments went up. Tom Edwards spoke for over an hour answering questions and explaining the program he uses along with market values.

6:45 PM Assessors meeting ended.6:45 PM Selectmen's meeting came to order.

6:45 PM Public Forum

Joella Marriner and Helen Willey spoke to the selectmen about who can use a Town owned cemetery. Joella said she had been yelled at by a neighbor while crossing the Willey cemetery with her dogs. She wanted to know if it was a town owned cemetery? It is a town cemetery and the public is allowed to go in the cemetery. She was told that the situation had been taken care of by the person who yelled at her and would not do it again.

Michael Voncannon was present for the cemetery committee and wanted to know how much was budgeted for the cemetery committee this year. \$1000.00 was budgeted if the warrant passes at the Town Meeting on August 26, 2013. The cemetery committee is going to work on having a new ordinance for all the town owned cemeteries.

MMA Insurance Audit - Richard Carver made a motion to table the audit report until the next meeting. Linda Post seconded it. All in Favor.

Frank sent a letter to Rockland Fire Department with a 911 list in regards to Dogwood Lane. Richard Carver made a motion to discuss it at the next meeting. All in Favor. Richard Carver asked that I call Frank and have him double check that the address is in the system.

Map 004 Lot 014 Title Opinion. Richard Carver made a motion to table it until the next meeting. Nancy Colson seconded it. All in favor. Richard Carver would like to talk to the assessor before taking the next step.

Warrants were approved and signed.

Linda Post made a motion to accept the August 5, 2013 minutes, Nancy Colson seconded it. All in Favor.

8:00 PM Meeting Adjourned